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ALLOY UNDER TENSILE STRESS TO INHIBIT
WHISKER GROWTH

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**REPLY BY APPLICANTS TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 111
AND PETITION TO REVIVE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137**

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 17, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application. Submitted herewith are: (1) Appendix A, which is a marked-up version of the amended portions of the specification showing additions in underlined text; (2) drawings (FIGS. 2 and 7) amended as directed by 37 C.F.R. 1.121(d), with the proposed changes in red ink; (3) a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137 for revival of the above-captioned application with fee authorization; and (4) a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for extending the time to file this Reply with fee authorization.

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